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Weekend Activities

# Golden Gate

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## BIB 'N TUCKER SHOW TONIGHT IN GYM

### Clubs Ready

### State Fair Plans Going Forward

### Many Organizations Reserve Booth Space

Get ready, Staters, cause it will soon be here—the biggest and best event of the year—a new high in State entertainment—the State Fair! Staters will have their fill of fun surrounded by an atmosphere of dancing and excitement.

Booths will be run by Alpha Omega, featuring a ping-pong ball throw; Sigma Alpha Eta, with snow cones; Brush and Palette will have a sketchbook, and the Newman Club will sell popcorn balls. The low freshman class will sell hot dogs, the Adviser council will sell cakes, the Westminster Club will sell soft drinks, and the Parent-Faculty Association will sell coffee. Bib 'n Tucker will present "Fashionable Freaks", and Alpha Chi Epsilon will present "Duck Samba".

All these things, and more besides, can be had for the sum of 19 cents for girls, 21 cents for boys, and 34 cents for couples. Iva Beth Cain is the general chairman assisted by Virginia Brandelein, head of decorations; Joan Cameron and Lucille Murphy, head of arrangements; Tillie Rastad heads the hosts and hostesses.

This State Fair is for the benefit of the student loan fund. Any organization interested in obtaining a booth are asked to contact Iva Beth Cain, post box 1063.

### Last Chance

### Fair Tickets

### On Sale Today

Today is the last day that State students can purchase bargain ticket books for the 1940 Exposition. Season ticket books, containing 130 admissions, are on sale for \$2.55.

Booklets may be purchased between ten and four o'clock in Dean May A. Ward's office today.

Every student registered in this college, and of generally accepted college age may enjoy this privilege.

### May 11

### Kidd Plays At Inaugural Ball

The star-lit roof of the Hotel Whitcomb has been chosen as the scene for the Inaugural Ball, to be held on Saturday, May 11. The affair is semi-formal and non-corsage. Admission is 75 cents per couple.

Doug Kidd's orchestra will play for the dance.

The inauguration of the newly elected student body officers will take place at the ball. A definite ceremony is being arranged to welcome the incoming officers.

Chairman of the affair is Peggy Smith. Committee consists of Bob Sweeney, Dena Witte, Joe Edelman, and Pete Collins.

The date formerly set for the dance has been changed to May 11, because President Bob Sweeney, and the president-elect are going to attend the convention for all Pacific colleges, and would not be here to attend the affair.



Peg Clifford and George Otis displaying what the well dressed sun lover will wear. From this to the wedding outfits will be shown at tonight's affair.

### Larry Cannon's Band Plays For Combined Fashion Show, Dance

Otis and Clifford middle aisle it tonight in the gym sometime around 11 o'clock.

The event, however, will not be a wedding, but instead will be the Bib'n Tucker fashion show and dance. The middle aisle will not run through church pews, but will be down the center of the gym. Rita O'Brien is in charge of decorating the gym in a springy vein. Betty Fisher has just released the lineup of the models as follows: Dottie Bennet-Chad Reade, Betty DeVoe-Marsh Hansen, Bonnie Eaden-Bob Anderson, Jean Van Arsdale-Pat Sullivan, Virginia Huff-Bill Dorwin, Bernice Bianchi-Pete Mirande, Peggy Clifford-Bob Wood, Betty Fisher-George Fenneman, Rhoda Ayres-Ed Barry, Cleo Prineas-Bill White.

Esther Regier has been managing the ticket booth this week, and Peggy Clifford has been in charge of the all-important clothes. The aforementioned event will be the showing of what the well-dressed bride and groom will be wearing to the altar this season.

The orchestra will be Larry Cannon's. The tickets may be purchased from any Bib'n Tucker member or at the booth outside the co-op. Dancing will start at 9.

By the way, Rossi Florists have donated the bridal bouquet, and incidentally, girls, you know what it means if you catch it. So come one and all, for it is really the most fashionable thing that has come to the campus in many a day.

### B.S. Class Will Make Sonoma Trip

Off-trail creations of biological science and development are promised members of Dr. Edna L. Barney's B.S. classes, when they visit the Sonoma State Home, Saturday, May 4.

Students from last semester's B.S. groups are invited. As far as transportation goes, Dr. Barney says that the students are on their own. The only requirement is that they arrive at the Home by 10 o'clock. The specially arranged program will last over two hours.

### Brush 'n Palette

### Art Club Holds Swimming Party

Brush'n Palette announced today that they will take over the Fairmont plunge tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Anyone wishing to attend this swim session may sign up on the bulletin board in College hall. Admission is 35 cents with suit.

"Arts and Crafts of Mexico," a sound movie, will be presented Thursday the 25th, Room 209, College hall. No admission.

Plans were formulated at the last Brush'n Palette meeting, for an International night to be held Friday, May 10. This will be a costume affair, replete with dancing, prizes, entertainment and the rest of the trimmings.

### Need Work

### Girls Wanting NYA Apply Now

Women students who are now registered in the college, who were not on N.Y.A. during the past college year, and who feel that their financial needs deserve consideration for assignment to NYA, must apply to Dean Ward's office before May 15, in order that reserve places may be held on the assignment list. Students in all classes especially members of the Fall, 1939 and Spring, 1940 classes, are eligible to apply for this help under the following conditions:

1. Financial need. The student's financial problem must be such that she could not remain in college without this assistance.
2. Student must have a satisfactory scholarship average.
3. Student must be deserving from the standpoint of good character.

### Political Hopefuls

### Anderson, Brummal, Carothers, Zammitt Present Presidential Platforms Today

### Candidates For Other Student Body Offices Will Also Present Speeches At Today's Rally

Next Wednesday will be the day for over 2200 State students to go to the polls and elect nine student officers.

### Debaters Meet Stanford Today

Whether or not the United States should maintain a strict policy of isolation, will be debated by the State debating team, and the Stanford debaters today at Stanford University.

Three two men teams from State will argue the pros and cons of the United States foreign policy with a strong Indian team.

The debaters have chosen this question because of the present situation in war torn Europe, and the effect it is showing on American neutrality.

The teams which will take part in the Stanford debate will be: First team: Connie Kennan, and Lorraine Everson; Second team: David Lull, and Sam Dana; Third team: Rudi Kollar, and Al Raby.

On Saturday, April 20, the Forensic Council will journey to Davis to attend the Cal Aggies picnic. At that time, they will debate the same question of foreign policy with the Aggie team.

Rudi Kollar, Al Raby, Vivian Fleming, and Sherry Auerbach will represent the council in the debate.

### Parley Voo

### French Club Meet At Noon

Next meeting of the French Club will be held today noon at 12 o'clock in Annex AA6, according to Irene Schultz, secretary.

All students who are studying French are cordially invited to attend in order to improve their fluency in the language. Games will be played and "chansons" sung by the group.

Plans will also be discussed for an afternoon luncheon and theatre party to be held within the next couple of weeks.

### Macbeth

### Maurice Evans May View State's Shakespeare Festival Production

The possibility that Maurice Evans, prominent Shakespearean actor, will be among the audience to see MacBeth is stepping up activity among the cast, and serving as inspiration for perfection.

Mr. Evans, who will lecture here at State, will be invited to attend the production to be held under the Shakespearean festival to be supervised by Miss Jessie Casebolt, during the second week of May.

The play, a modern interpretation, will be presented along with excerpts from other Shakespearean works.

Because of the presentation of

### Exhibit Mayer Art Works Exhibited

Dramatically fascinating, a colorful display of religious and ceremonial idols and masks is now being exhibited at the San Francisco Museum of Art. Miss Evelyn S. Mayer, art instructor here at San Francisco State, has several articles from her collection of idols and masks included in the exhibit.

OPENS MARCH 20th  
The exhibition, which opened on March 20, has set closing date for April 21.

Ancient examples of embroidered festival cloths, gold weights, and war implements dating back hundreds of years are being featured, as well as others of more recent production.

### MANY SIZES

Miss Mayer, who has traveled extensively in Mexico, has an impressive display of primitive art works. The major part of her collection is made up of idols ranging in size from approximately one foot high, to a tiny figure which she wears in a ring.

### FUNERAL IDOL

One of the most important of Miss Mayer's idols was formerly used in an ancient funeral service. The idol, originally painted a bright red—which is the color used in primitive funeral processions—has been burned and retains very little of its original color. This interesting statue is on display along with several of her wooden, clay, and stone figures.

The major part of the display of primitive ceremonial arts has come from the African jungles, South Pacific islands, early Mayan cities, Northwest Coast tribes, and from Ceylon.

Campaigning opens officially today when all candidates present their platforms before the student body at large, in the Rally bowl at 12 noon. Bill Abbey and Bob Sweeney will officiate.

Bob Sweeney's withdrawal from the presidential race this week narrowed the field of candidates down to Bob Anderson, Wade Brummal, Morley Carothers and Edith Zammitt.

### PRE-RALLY STATEMENTS

Bob Anderson, in his pre-rally statement to The Gater, outlined his platform in three points: (1) unification of the student body; (2) better student-faculty relationship; and (3) straightening out of the co-op situation.

"Contrary to the opinion expressed in a previous issue of The Golden Gater, I am definitely in the race. I feel that the withdrawal of Bob Sweeney, incumbent, leaves me as the only candidate capable of representing the entire student body and not a chosen few," Wade Brummal stated.

Morley Carothers, another potential student body leader, simply replied, "The election looks close. Let's all work for an even greater San Francisco State from now on."

The woman in the race, Edith Zammitt, had this to say: "There seems to be some doubt as to the sincerity of my candidacy for the responsible office of student body president. Any skepticism of this sort is as far from the truth as a freshman is from graduating. My

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### Archie Mooney

### Unemployment Problem Told

"Youth is entitled to a higher consideration. The world does not owe youth a living, but it does owe youth an opportunity," declared Archie Mooney, executive secretary of the California Apprenticeship Council, in an address to the San Francisco State Young Democrats' club Tuesday.

The California Apprenticeship Council is not a panacea. It is not creating employment, but it has established an apprentice wage scale and is putting order into a situation which was a mess previous to the establishment of the C. A. C. he said.

Only the exceptional make good, he disclosed citing figures pointing out the fact that out of 500, only 25 hold down their jobs. "We are scratching the surface to get at the deeper problems," he believes.

Jean Olson reported on the California Youth Legislature which she attended at Los Angeles. Ed Kelly of the Samuel Gompers Trade School presided at the meeting.

"An election of officers will take place at the next meeting, April 23," stated Marvin D. Shore. Other activities which are scheduled in the future include a mock convention and delegates speaking for the various candidates.



## As the . . . EDITOR SEES IT

### Campus

#### Round And Round

A certain organization composed entirely of women has been repeatedly kicked around all over the campus lot.

This organization hums with activity and is anxious to be of great service to the college. But their efforts to give the college something has been turned down and flatly refused by a certain faction of the faculty.

A scholarship to some needy women was the offer of this organization. A service that is well needed at this college, but turned down. Why? It's a long story.

Pending investigation and a one year probationary period, this organization was allowed to function to its fullest extent.

The time came when their probationary period was up and they came before the Executive Board for approval. Approval was granted unanimously, and the organization went merrily on its way.

But then this benevolent organization made an effort to secure an activity on the social calendar. It was passed by the Board—and then flatly refused by certain faculty on the grounds that this organization was not recognized. However, very graciously the group was allowed to give their dances. It was very successful, but socially and financially, and the money received was to go for a scholarship for some needy student, a woman, of course.

This was flatly refused on the grounds that the organization still was not recognized. Yet they were allowed to give their function, and have the recognition of the Executive Board.

Why is it that every time some group wants to do something for the college, someone must take a rabid delight in knocking it from stem to stern, and in general stamp out the spirit of altruism, which, heaven knows, is sadly needed at this institution.

Kick 'em when their down!

#### Let There Be Light

In the Razz Edition of the Gater ran an advertisement extolling to the ends that suitableness of our library for good lighting. Naturally, this was in fun, but it carried with it a large amount of truth, of the negative fashion.

Have you got library eyes? What, you haven't? Just take a sojourn into our most benevolent spot, and study for some time, and you too will be a blessing to the oculists and optometrists.

Either the light bulb company should get the benefit, or the oculists and optometrists. Which shall it be?

Why keep her in the dark?

## LETTERS

### TO THE EDITOR

#### Radio Display Gone!

Dear Editor:

● This week a valuable display of pictures and material depicting Ernie Smith broadcasting a baseball game and two professional photographs from KSFO were taken from two glass covered bulletin boards in College hall.

It is regrettable that such a thing should happen here at a college where the student body is of such a high caliber mentally and socially. It is also regrettable that these pictures have been taken, for this eliminates any opportunities for future displays of pictures or material

which was to be loaned us by the local broadcasting stations.

Radio Day was so successful here and everyone enjoyed the festivities so much that it seems a shame that someone or persons must seek this way to blot the reputation which we made with the stations on that day.

If the person who took the display will return it or inform BOX 906 where the material can be picked up, no questions will be asked.

This is not the first time that material or pictures have been taken from the school, and it is time the student body does something about this menace.

Display Chairman

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## This College Whirl

### Kampus Kapers

● Now that the rain and the weatherman are working together and we can have more sunshine; picnics, hikes, bike riding, swimming, and sitting on the campus will be enjoyed no end.

No seasick casualties were noted on the Newman boat ride to Paradise Cove Sunday. Some of the rope jumpers were: Leslie Klepper, Jean Mahan, Vi Nicoloff, Pete Mirande, Ernie Miguel, Betty Davis (not the movie actress), Jean Cullen, Dick Coshaw, and Goldie Atwood. Elaine George, while cavorting around, knocked off Joe Edelstein's glasses; since then Joe has not been saying "Hello" to any of his friends, for the simple reason that he can't see them.

Down Tilden Park way the same Sunday, members of the Music Federation and their friends were playing games. Among them: Janet Girard, Sid Fisher, Ellen Jensen, Caesar Orsini, Les Hawk, Hal Holroyd, Gus Blanchard, Dick Johnson, Bernice Armstrong, Ken Bailey, Marian Day, and Ida Fertig.

Coffee which was served between scenes at "Tovarich" was hailed as a swell idea by doughnut dunkers: Rita De Andreis, Jean Van Arsdale, Bob Buckley, Elvira Huenergardt, Virginia Hannah, Winifred Regier, and Bonnie Eaden.

Men who are modeling in the Bib'n Tucker fashion show Friday night are getting jittery. Marsh Hansen is still proudly telling people he had his picture taken.

Flash—George Otis and Peggy Clifford will soon be bride and bridegroom! For further particulars come to the gym tonight at 9 and wear your dancing shoes.

Who is the prominent redhead in S.P.S. who found his habit of breaking dates balked by a young lady whose initials are T.S.?

Along with the raves about Brother Leo's lecture, comments and compliments were many on Florence Quartararo's vocal renditions. Among the 500 State students represented at the program were Ed Barry, new tux and all; Izzy Pivnick, high frosh prexy; Edith Zammit, Bobbe Sandeen, Dorothy Foppiano, Betty Berlin, Gertrude Egan, George Vavuris, Basil Pritchard, and scores of others.

## Tovarich Reigns Supreme

● "Tovarich," the loudly touted play of the Little Theater group, was presented to a crowded house last night.

Mr. Fenneman in the role of Prince Mikhail Ouratieff was good. However, the fact that he is a born comedian may have aided him through a few awkward scenes, particularly the one where he was to show his affection for his wife, Grand Duchess Tatiana Petrova, played by Miss Laura Bride Applegarth.

Miss Applegarth appeared very willing to act as a loving wife should, but George was very stiff at this point. A trifling matter, but one which wouldn't pass the strict censorship of feminine eye, was Miss Applegarth's apparent neglect of her handbag and gloves.

Mr. Clement Zannini turned in a very admirable performance as Chauffourier-Dubieff, a French politician. Peter Padilla, or Count Feodor Brekenski, was a trifle over anxious to spout his lines, but by the time he reached them was less zealous. Jeanne

### Casual Comments

● Tucked away in a corner of Tuesday's Gater was a little article announcing the appearance of a speaker who was to address a certain group on the problem of finding a job. Whether the gentleman touched on anything new is problematic; nevertheless, the idea in back of every student's mind, providing he has one, is, "Will I find a job when I get out of college?"

Surveys have proved it's tough going. So tough in fact, that a goodly percentage of students feel licked before they start. Fond parents tsk and tut and rebuke their offspring for not having more ambition, but what's the good of ambition when cold, factual surveys show that it takes the average person one and one-half years to find any kind of a job, and that one-third of our unemployed are just out of school?

Where are the ambitions and illusions of bygone days? query fond parents. But, we retort, WHERE are the incentives?

Indignant men are strutting around campus, protesting the Woman for Prexy idea. Is this not the modern day and age when the one that gets the seat on the street car is the one who runs the fastest, man or woman?

A certain gentleman has submitted a report to the California State legislature, which, if it is accepted, will completely revolutionize the educational industry.

Reports have been made on this report, and it is difficult to know which report, if any, is the least confusing.

Its instigator believes that a Bachelor's degree should be given each person who concludes his sophomore year. That a smattering of all subjects should be covered in this time, with all subjects dependent on, and relating to, each other. Vague? Rather. Even our esteemed faculty is finding it difficult to interpret Dr. Coffin's report. Democratic education for a Democracy is the intrinsic idea, but from there on, it's every man for himself.

Perhaps the committee would be interested in the students' viewpoint of education. It would be interesting, if not valuable.

## With Malice Toward None—

Kerwin was good in the role of Haughty Olga.

Lulu Huber as Fernande Dupont was a worried hostess, but she wasn't sincere enough to give her audience this idea. Walter Dunn as Charles Dupont, her husband, did a grand job of lowering his voice a pitch to that of an older man. But, Mr. Dunn too often lapsed into his own irrepressible self.

The Dupont children, Herb Smith and Dortha Eskesen, were all right but not unusual. Miss Eskesen could have been more relaxed and a shade more giddy.

Lillian Kaplan, as Madam Van Hemert, only appeared in one scene. However, she should have spent more time practicing a laugh. Ray Hutcheson, as Commissar Gorotchenko, had an important role and much of the spotlight, but he didn't live up to it. He was slow and somewhat unsure.

The scenery was clever and well done, considering the limited stage space. Noteworthy was that of the kitchen, which was real, even to the dust pan.

## AND THEN SHE SAID . . .

### Forty Clubs . . . Only Three Scholarships

By BETTY ZEHNDER

● Last Saturday we met an aspirant of the Alpha Phi Gamma scholarship as he left the examination. We asked if he was planning to come to State next term. He answered, "Well, I hope I win the scholarship, because if I don't I'll have to go to work. I can't afford to go to school without that help."

This rather caught us in the teeth. For the first time we began to realize how lucky we were to be able to go to school. Then right on top of that came the stark realization that of the 2,200 people at State only one person came in last term on a scholarship. Only one organization has bothered to offer an education to those people who lack the wherewithall to get past the toll gate on their own hook.

Ideas were coming thick and fast by this time. Even when students manage to get in for a year or so there are only two opportunities, one for women and one for men, to win any kind of support. There are approximately 40 organizations on the campus and three . . . only three have taken the trouble to

offer scholarships to their fellow students.

When we finally got our programs for next term after standing in line by the registrar's office, we found on closer examination that there were two noticeable holes in the faculty personnel—Dr. Claude Shull and Mrs. Bertha Monroe.

Dr. Shull has been a member of the English department for a number of years and has recently been dividing his time between San Francisco J.C. and State. So, now to our loss and their gain, Dr. Shull has taken a full time position in our rival's fortress.

Mrs. Monroe is truly an institution in herself. If you felt like arguing for one solid term, you should have taken a course from this member of the Sociology department, where freedom of speech is no empty promise. Now she will only carry one course in the late afternoons on Tuesdays and Thursdays. However, there is some hope found in this hole because it is rumored by many that she will be back in the spring next year. We hope so.

We'll miss both of you.

## The Cat's Whisker

By "STUB" HARVEY

● Stephanie Singer and Jerry Sharkey gave San Francisco State College a two-way break last Monday night when, before a packed house and an air audience of undetermined thousands, the two students appeared with Uncle Bennie Walker on Station KGO during the Homestead Amateur Hour.

Thanks to NBC, Homestead Bread Company, Lee Strahorn, Helen Morgan and Uncle Bennie for the opportunity to hear these two music students on KGO.

### SHARKEY'S FRIENDS RALLY

After the broadcast, last Monday, a number of Jerry's friends asked me to announce that they have bought a large number of post cards which they are going to ask you to sign, stating your preference for Jerry on the Homestead show, and which will help him to realize that much coveted prize of a week's engagement at the Golden Gate Theater. You can help State as well as Jerry by filling out these cards, which will be sent in to NBC in time for the count this week.

### HAL JACOBS NEXT MONDAY

Homestead Bread will present another Stater on their show next Monday night, Hal Jacobs,

one of the cleverest impersonators we've seen in a long time. You may have tickets, free, to the show by contacting Box 906. The broadcast is at 8:15 p.m. (a new time), and the show will be in the Community Playhouse, Sutter and Mason streets. Let's pack the house with Staters.

### THANKS, COLUMBIA!

Thanks and congratulations are going and coming at a breezy rate this week. "KSFO at Five Sixty" featured Jerry Sharkey on its smart dinner hour show, "Contrasts in Rhythm," last Tuesday evening with "Dapper Dick" Aurandt waving the baton.

A few of us had the privilege of attending the broadcast, and judging from the spirit in which the boys of the band and the soloists did their "stuff," joy reigns supreme in Studio "E" at 6 o'clock every Tuesday evening.

### BUT SHE DID WRITE!

Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt was invited to our Radio Day party, and although she could not attend the affair she did write us, through her secretary at the White House, a letter of thanks for our invitation. Next week we'll print the letter. We are indeed grateful for this indication of her gracious personality.

## With Malice Toward None—

● Many slanderous remarks have been made regarding our honorable semi-weekly. Putting out a paper even such a no-good sheet as The Gater, is a full time job.

"Beat" coverage comes first. You can't bring the victim of your interview down with a flying tackle and sit on his chest until he answers your questions. Instead you must be diplomatic; trail him around, gathering such words of wisdom as fall from his mouth, and wait for him to spare you a few minutes of his time. After you have gained this audience, which takes a full two days of shadowing, you sit down at the typewriter, and dash off your story—trying meanwhile to correct his grammatical errors. When you have concocted some semblance of an article you tear down to the printers, probably skipping dinner, and hand in your copy, which has missed the deadline by at least 24 hours.

And now the poor printer. This

copy, which has been so laboriously procured by you, is a mass of errors, due to your hasty writing. So he sweats and slaves and curses over this miserable piece of stuff, but finally sets up the type, and runs off a galley or two.

Now it's the make-up editor's turn. He has probably planned in advance that your story will be at least 300 words, and arranged his page accordingly. But no. Your story is a mere 150. So our poor editor has to sit down and write some filler, even it's about the trees and birds. Meanwhile the printers are beefing and the copyreaders are chafing.

When the filler is finally written, with the heads attached, it is set-up, and finally the first proof is run off. Then comes the fun. It is read and re-read. Finally, at the crack of dawn all is completed, and the finished Gater makes its appearance that noon. So don't damn the poor newspaper man, pity and love him.



# Gater Sports

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## Kicking The Dope Bucket . . .

We see by the public prints, where some of State's athletic muscle men have been displaying their biceps and torsos in an attempt to gain employment with Billy Rose's aquatic sideshow at Treasure Island this summer.

Commendable as it is, we doubt if any cheers of joy will be forthcoming from the P.E. department. Swimming has long been on the list of evil influences on athletes, along with beer and pretels, late hours and frivolous blondes, with most coaches preferring any of the three to unconfined dunking. Swimming, it is contended, softens a grizzer or track man and opens him up to the possibility of being injured easily.

Nonetheless, we would doubt any man's sanity who would refuse a job in Mr. Rose's summerlong bath tub. Even though we firmly believe a half hour session every Saturday night (whether we need it or not) is a sufficiency, cavorting with Mr. Rose's chorus cuties and getting paid for it has its advantages. How to deal with a "glamour boy" may be another complication to the coaching staff, come next fall.

Better Late Than Never note: A nice hand to Dan Farmer for his refereeing in the recent Hoopa-Gater boxing matches, but the announcing of the bouts by Don Kupfer—phooey. An excellent coach, Kupfer's talents do not include a set of leather lungs coupled with the diction of a Ronald Colman. For the first two flights, we thought Kupfer was speaking ancient Hindustani with a Yiddish accent.

Mysterious rumors from the office of the track coaching staff. Special delivery letters, telegrams; solemn promises of silence. (What'd ya think we are squealers.)

Warm-up Tosses: Why not an NYA project for ball-shagging in the softball tourney? (the gentleman who said "tear down the buildings" will leave the room quietly.) With a winning track team, why don't State students support them. Besides the fresh air is good for you. Anyway, Yehudi, who ever watches the faculty when they play the campus queens.—Every time we watch Fred Kline run a mile, we call our eyes a liar. Maybe, he does it with mirrors.—There's the closing gun.

## Netmen Trip Gaels Second Time, 9-0

Back into stride, State's tennis team lead by Harold Wagner, ranking netster, yesterday smashed St. Mary's to win 9-0.

The Gaels' number one man, John Kiernan, was swamped in his tussle with Wagner 6-0, 6-4.

Although Jack Witt was unable to play due to a wrenched shoulder, Kohlhauff, Williams, Hammond, Kim, and Tuscher turned in winning set totals.

Washington High school lost to the jayvees five to three.

## Gater Divoters Vs. Nev., Sacto. J.C.

Swinging onto the fairway today, State's golf squad clashes with the strong Nevada team from Reno, at Ingleside. Tomorrow the Gater divoters mix with Sacramento J.C. on the same course.

Harry Robey, Charles Manning, Gordon Mailoux, Roy Sayles, Bob Zamlock, and Jim Eaton are in top form for their contests.

Looking for a clean sweep over the week end, Robey, student coach, has high hopes for the future of his par-busters.

## State Nine Meets Strong East Bay Club, Tomorrow

Seeking revenge for a defeat inflicted upon them earlier in the season, State's diamonders are out to even matters with the Athens Club tomorrow afternoon in Oakland.

The Athens Club is one of the strongest baseball contingents in Northern California. Their team is composed of ex-college, semi-pro, and professional stars. The clubmen have knocked over several "big-time" college teams and strong semi-professional clubs.

### BRYANT PITCHES

Gene Bryant, curve ball artist, will attempt to horsecollar the Athens nine. Bryant's batterymate will be George "Red" Weekes. Bob Moore, first base; "Stubby" Ahern, second base; Dick Coshow, third base; Jack Fischer, shortstop, round out the Gater infield. Swanson may work for Fischer. Dick Webster, left field; Walt Lagomarsino, center field; Charley Christenson or Frank Granucci in right field complete the starting nine.

Le Gult and "Red" Strader, St. Mary's football coach, will most probably be the Oaklander's battery. Viana and Krasovich, clever keystone combination, and Will Gallagher, left field, strengthen the Clubmen.

### ARMY WEDNESDAY

Moffett Field, a fast army team, meets the Staters next Monday afternoon at Roberts Field. In a practice game, last Wednesday, the Army nine surprised the Gaters, 7 to 5.

(Apologies to Coach Hal Harden: In an earlier edition of the Gater it was printed that Harden's baseball teams haven't been able to defeat San Jose State. It so happens that San Francisco has whipped their "prune belt" opponents several times. Incidentally the S. F. Staters nosed out the Spartans 3 to 2, last Monday.)

## Half Miler Seeks New Record



Wallie Young ace Gater half miler shown breasting the tape, threatens State's 880 record when he goes against Santa Barbara. In the Humboldt meet Saturday, Young was but two-tenths of a second above the old mark.

## Oakland Fencers Cross Foils With Gaters, Saturday

A last minute change in their schedule will find the fencers meeting the Oakland Fencing club this Saturday evening, April 20, at the clubrooms of the California-New England Society in Oakland. The match will take place at 8:30 P.M.

Only two bouts will be fought in this match, one bout matching a man from each team and the other bout matching a woman from each team. Bob Lee, who scored 20 points to only one scored against him in the recent San Jose State meet will represent the men, and Bernadette Fratessa, top notch woman fencer of State will represent the women.

Little is known of the Oakland Fencing club other than the fact it is coached by Frank Freck, former fencing coach at the University of California. This is the first match for the club, as it has just recently been formed, and it is hoped that the Gaters will be able to win.

## Soccer Team Files Entry In C.L.S.A.

Breaking for the first time in the history of the school into the California Intercollegiate Soccer association, a league that includes the Universities of California and Stanford, State's newest sport, soccer, enters big league competition.

Last fall under the eyes of Coach Jerry Kenny English teacher at Francisco Junior High, and John Finn, student mentor, the ball booters made their debut into the shin kicking sport winding up with a fairly successful season.

When asked what chance apprentice shin-busters would stand at getting a place on the team, Finn replied that although a few men would not return everybody was welcome to try out. Doves of new material would greatly enhance the efforts of the league composed of California, Stanford, U.S.F., San Jose State, Cal Aggies, San Francisco J.C., and San Mateo J.C., Finn said.

## Tracksters Trek South To Santa Barbara Clash; Distance Marks Periled

Coach Cox' army of harriers journey to Santa Barbara Saturday to battle for track supremacy with a powerful Gauchos squad. Pre-game odds gives State a slight edge in the tilt, but the altercation promises to be close, for the Santa Barbarans

aren't planning on giving the meet to the Gaters—at least, not without a fight.

## Jayvees Swamp Weak Jefferson High Team, 96-17

Falling on a woefully weak Jefferson high team to wreak bitter revenge for last week's Commerce High loss, State's jayvee track squad pasted the preps soundly, 96-17.

Blanking the east bay squad in eight events, the Gater cubs failed to turn in any exceptional times.

Chopping off another 6 seconds from his previous best mark, Donn Lando, J. V. miler continued with his sensational improvement. Another lowering of time and Lando will afford the varsity milers stiff competition.

Summary  
100 yd. dash—Won by Harrison (J); second Meier (S); third Fontana (S). Time 10.5.

220 yd.—Won by Mull (S); second Harrison (J); third, Meier (S). Time 24 secs.

440 yd.—Won by Warden (S); second, Giacosa (S); third, Wendling (S). Time 54.1.

880 yd.—Won by Purdom (S); second, Clark (S); third, Stephan (S). Time 2:12.1.

1 mile Run—Won by Lando (S); second, Coulson (S); third, Barilleis (S). Time 4:47.1.

120 yd. low hurdles—Won by Watkins (S); second, Meier (S); third, Holmer (S). Time 14.4.

120 yd. high hurdles—Won by Holmer (S); second, Ramsey (S); third, Larin (S). Time 17 secs.

Broad jump—Won by Wong (S); second, Giacosa (S); third, Schmidt (S). Distance 19 ft. 10 in.

High jump—Tie for first, Turner (S) and Murray (S); third, Watkins (S). Height 6 ft.

Pole vault—Tie for first, Goettel (S) and Schultz (S); third, Lemis (J).

Shotput—Won by Perry (S); second, Quartararo (S); third, Gustafson (S). Distance 44 ft. 2 in.

Discus—Won by Lowrie (S); second, Schultz (S); third, Gaffney (S). Distance 103 ft. 2 in.

### ATTENTION

Unable to obtain results of last night's boxing meet between the Gaters and the Moffett field squad, before press time, "Gater Sports" will carry a summary in Tuesday's issue.

The bouts were fought at the Army air base in Sunnyvale.

## ... WOMEN IN SPORTS ...

By ENID REINHART

With certain nominations having been made by the Women's council yesterday, the rest of the W.A.A. will have their chance next Wednesday to put their favorites to the fore at a Nomination rally in the Little Theater.

Already put up as candidates were—for vice president, Inez Erickson and Florence Abraham; for secretary, Bernadette Fratessa and Catherine McMorow; for treasurer, Evelyn Nelson and Lucille Henry.

After the popular candidates have been decided, entertainments and refreshments will be the order of the day. The election is to take place the two days following the rally, April 25 and 26.

MORE SOFTBALL

If the Gauchos do pierce State's armor it will be because of the Gaters' weakness in the sprints. Cox doesn't boast a single man that can hit 10-falt in the 100, and he's just about as bad off in the 220, Santa Barbara, on the other hand, has in Hovis Bess a lad that holds the school records in both events. He can cover the century in 9.9 easily, and is able to tear off 21.5 in the quarter.

### GAUCHO EDGE

The Cowboys also possess a capable sprinter in Bill MacArthur who is second only to Bess in the dash. That gives Santa Barbara a heavy advantage in the short events.

The San Francisco team can be expected to even things up when it comes to the long-distance gruelers. Wally Young, who was but two-tenths of a second off of the school record last week, will run a fast 880.

Undeclared in either the mile or two-mile, Fred Kline will be an undoubted point-gatherer in those two events. Not far behind him will be Jack Carolan.

The Gauchos' relay quartet can be chalked up as winner of the baton-changing event as they are capable of rounding the oval several seconds faster than the State team.

### VAULTERS GOOD

Among the field events the pole vault will be highlighted, with George Otis representing the Gaters against Crow and McLane of Santa Barbara. All three boys can get up around 12 feet 6 inches.

The high jump will also be quite a fracas. State's George Parker will have to oppose the combined efforts of Miller and Steward, Gaucha jumpers. Six feet is a minimum for all three lads.

Santa Barbara's only good weightman is Heinberg who can toss the iron ball 46 feet and the discus 133. That 46-foot throw in the shot may spell defeat for the Gaters' heretofore unbeaten putter, Socrates Pantages.

Carlson will probably have a field day in the javelin as the Gauchos are weak in that event.

### HURDLES BRIGHT

Santa Barbara has no high hurdles which should give Dudley Schultz a sure first. The low hurdles will be a struggle between MacArthur, of the Cowboy troop, and Shepherd, Meier, and Schultz of State.

If the trip to Santa Barbara—and its accompanying evils—doesn't tax the Gater squad too heavily, this should be another victory for State.

## Softball Seer Predicts 'Super' Performances In Intramural Tourney

By SAUL SIMON

Every happy household should have at least one copy of our very latest brainstorm which carries the title of "Super Peachy Picks Picks 'em" and is published by the "Super Peachy Picks Picks 'em" publishing company, of which I have the honor of being chief flunkey, president, janitor, and any other connections associated with that little firm.

This book has sold over one copy per annum every year that it has come out. This makes the first and absolutely last year that this hunk of tripe will be printed. It deals with the who's who in intramural softball and against the sage advice of certain individuals we are going to pass our predictions on.

### PREDICTIONS EASY

Just as a way of a reminder, be sure to read chapter one which is entitled, "Predictions in five easy lessons or ten hard ones." Believe it or not here is what we predict.

Jack McGann, he of Sigma Pi Sigma, will prove to be one of the loops better hurlers.

The Czar Landis of intramural softball at State, one Donald Kupfer, will sign a six months contract with a certain aspirin company very soon.

Johnny Maguire will be one of

the better left-handed stickers as was evidenced by his home run blast in his first game.

### SCHMIDT PREDICTS

Phil Schmidt, old age and all, solemnly predicts that the Publications ball will be one of the better around here. Maybe he should call them the Phillies. And I don't mean cigars.

Joe Sullivan of the Diamonders banged out four hits in four tries to have to date a perfect batting average.

Stubby Ahern, our own pride and joy, will observers look up and take notice. In his first game, Stubby handled eight chances without a single miscue, besides pounding out two bingles.

Sigma Pi Sigma will NOT win the championship.

'Tis currently thought that the team called the Robinsonites had an inspiration when they called themselves that. Wonder who?

### STRIKE-OUT KING

Lethal Les Swanson, Orgies star chucker, will strike out more batters than any other hurler in the tournament.

The Old Men's A.C. is in the league. Betcha they don't win this. Philadelphia is in the league. Betcha they don't win either. And I will give you odds. Either American or National leagues.

Tab Grant Elms and Peter Mirande as having two of the best arms in the tournament. When they wind up and throw the seed from the outfield to home platter it's power plus.

## Intramural Scores Of Opening Games

- \*Newman Club 9, Mickey Finns 0
- Dusky Diamonders 17, Robinsonites 3
- Ryall's All-Stars 9, Oak's Daisies 2
- \*Orgies 9, Feather Merchants 0
- Publications 2, Blue Demons 1
- Newman Club 2, Sigma Pi Sigma 0
- Phi Epsilon Mu 9, Ryall's Stars 2
- \*Dusky Diamonders 9, Corbert's Kiddies 0
- O.M.A.C. 2, Robinsonites 1
- \*All 9-0 games defaulted.



## Notes of Student Executive Board

April 15, 1940

The regular meeting of the Executive Board was called to order at 7:15 P.M. Roll was called and Van Arsdale, and Pivnick were noted late. The minutes were dispensed with.

### Communication

1. Delta Phi Epsilon asked for appropriation to attend convention at Chico. Eight people to go. Kline moved, Peggy Smith seconded that the matter be taken out of finance committee. Smith moved and J. Edelstein seconded that twenty dollars (\$20.00) be granted to Delta Phi Epsilon. Roll call vote. Motion passed.

2. Thank you letter from W.A.A. for appropriation.

3. Dr. Roberts—concerning News Guild, action will be taken soon.

4. Golden Forties Fiesta—Glenn Wheaton. Recommended recognition of fiesta.

### Committees

1. Finance—Westminster Club fifteen dollars loan (\$15.00). Kline moved, Peggy Smith seconded the matter out of Finance. Edelstein moved, Polite seconded, that the Executive Board loan fifteen dollars (\$15.00) to Westminster Club, to be repaid May 15th. Roll Call Vote. Motion passed.

2. P.S.P.A. Letter concerning Convention Week.

### Elections

1. Names of Candidates given and approved by the Board. Elections will be April 24th, from 9 to 4 o'clock in the Activities Room. Discussion on Campaign Rally. Polite moved, and Edelstein seconded to have the Rally on Friday at 11 o'clock and have classes dismissed. Motion defeated.

E. Smith moved and J. Edelstein seconded that the Rally be held Friday at 12 o'clock. Motion passed.

### New Business

1. College Magazine, Undergraduate Colleges participate and gain publicity in magazine. Representative asked State to give permission to obtain subscription for State Students. Discussion. Peggy Smith moved and Witte seconded that we recognize the Magazine Undergrad.

2. Letter from Inter-Club Council asked for vote of confidence. Al Raby explained. Van Arsdale moved and Kline seconded, we grant Inter-Club Council a vote of confidence. Motion passed.

3. Peace Rally—National Peace Day, April 19th. Joe Edelstein moved that the Peace Committee be granted permission to have Peace Rally at 2 o'clock pending Dr. Roberts approval to dismiss classes. Motion passed.

Witte moved the meeting be adjourned.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
Dena Witte,  
Secretary

DW:RS

## More Politics

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platform is based on parallel desires to bring democracy and efficient government to the student body. Am I being insincere in desiring these things so much that I am going out after them?"

### TWO UNOPPOSED

Seeking the office of vice-president are Peggy Clifford, Gladys Hurning and Lucille Murphy.

Unopposed candidates for office are Rosemary Saum for secretary and Ernie Miguel for director of publications.

Battling over the treasurer's job are Ben Brooks and Joe Edelstein. A two-way contest for yell leader will be held between Al Barros and Norman Crane.

Two women's representatives will be chosen from among the three on the slate: Muriel Hart, Ellen Holly and Vi Nicoloff. Two must also be selected for positions of men's representative from the three vying for office: Jack McGann, Pat Sullivan and Bob Sweeney.

## Wide Range Offered At Summer Session

Planned to meet the needs of teachers in service as well as regular students, State's summer sessions this year will offer a wide variety of cultural and educational features.

Unusual opportunities will be available in the field of art,

## List Of Good Air Programs Posted

Augmenting the information contained in "The Cat's Whisker" this week, is a list of the better educational radio programs now heard on Columbia and National Broadcasting Company stations in this area. A brief description of the broadcasts as to type of information of material contained in program has been added after each listing.

The display also includes publicity of some of the newer programs on the air today and some interesting facts concerning the programs and personalities who make up their casts.

Next week a list of the best news and commentary programs on the air will be posted, including biographical data of some of the stars in the ether firmament.

The display is encased in glass in two bulletin boards near Dean Ward's office doors.

## SORORITY AT CONVENTION

Delta Phi Upsilon holds its convention at Chico, Saturday and Sunday, April 20 and 21. The theme of the concluding program is early childhood curriculum activity.

State chapter of the sorority will present a skit of story telling and dramatic activity. Each chapter will present a similar skit.

Initiation that follows includes the names of Enid Hildring, Doris Heimerle, Mary Marvin, Ruth Bastin, Jean Fry, Bernice Riley and Maria Dehe. These girls will go to the Chico convention.

## A.W.S. Delegates At Convention

Word from Oregon was received today by Dean Mary A. Ward from A.W.S. president Margerite Soult, who is attending the A.W.S. conference at the University of Oregon. Along with Miss Soult is representative Barbara Biggs.

Miss Soult commented that there are about 150 delegates from all over the West attending the conference. She also said that she would return with a lot of new and interesting material.

## GIRLS PLAN FOR CONCESSION

Plans for the concession at the State Fair and the Installation Luncheon to be held at the Cliff House, May 11, were topics discussed at the Alpha Chi Epsilon business meeting last Thursday, April 11. The concession, it is believed, will be a "hit target-girl falls in tank" affair, with Doris Strobel in charge.

This term's project is for the Kindergarten. Toys will be bought as soon as it is found out what is most needed. Elsie Hansen was appointed chairman.

Flora Farina is in charge of the Nursery Council and the Associated Childhood Education Tea to be held soon.

Death brought a tragic close to the long illness of Mrs. Rita White, wife of Raymond L. White, associate professor of music.

Her memory will linger long in the hearts of those in the college who knew her.

Deepest sympathies are extended Mr. White.

music, education, physical science, recreation, speech, social science and philosophy.

Following is the calendar for the 1940 summer sessions:

**Recreational Camp—May 29 to June 12.**

**Six-week Session—June 17 to July 26.**

**First Three-week Session—June 17 to July 5.**

**Second Three-week Session—July 8 to July 26.**

**Field Science Session—July 14 to July 27.**

**Post Session—July 29 to August 17.**

The Recreational Camp is co-educational and was established to meet the need of training leaders for recreation work in summer camps. Located in a grove of giant redwoods, the camp at Cazadero, California, will be the scene of a laboratory of learning the fundamentals in camping crafts, safety measures, sports, and all outdoor activities. Dan Farmer is director.

Another type of outdoor activity that will interest many teachers is the field science session to be held at Norden, Placer County, in the high Sierra. All courses will be conducted by means of field study, and the program will include astronomy, geology, and plant and animal life.

The use of radio in school work will be the subject of two courses offered by nationally recognized authorities. Vida Sutton, director of speech work for National Broadcasting Company, will give a course entitled "Radio Technique" during the first three weeks. Earle Kenney, who is famous for his work in the Oakland schools, will instruct a "Radio Workshop" from July 8 to 12 as a part of the one-week conference schedule, with Sherman L. Brown as chairman.

Dean Walter Homan, director of the summer session, announced today that a kindergarten has been added to the classes at Frederic Burk Training School. Lorraine Walsh, a graduate of State, will be in charge.

## Alpha Pi Nu Hold Dinner Tuesday

Members of the Alpha Pi Nu club will hold a dinner in the Activities room from 5:30 until 7:00 on Tuesday, April 30. The dinner will be for members only and for those interested there will be a meeting today.

Deadline for membership will be Monday, April 22, at 1:00. All those interested are urged to contact Dorothy Schnell, president, or Patricia Hogan, secretary.

## Shirley Senk Is Valedictorian

Shirley Senk is victorious over the competitors for the place of valedictorian for the May graduation. She was selected unanimously by a group of four judges composed of Miss Jessie D. Casebolt, President Bob Sweeney, Ruth Barnett and Adrian Newman.

Miss Senk has followed a liberal Arts curriculum. She was chosen for her ability to speak with the special factor of enunciation.

## Phi Lambda Chi Planning Formal

Spring has really sprung—and the Phi Lambda Chi members are all excited about their Spring Formal which will take place Saturday, April 20, at the Palace Hotel.

In charge of the arrangements are Bernice Rasmussen and Bernice Mattos, general chairmen.

## Weekend Doings

University of California:

Saturday, April 20

Track meet. Berkeley against U.S.C.

San Jose State:

Sunday, April 21

Inter-fraternity barbecue—Uvas dam.

San Francisco State:

Friday, April 19

Bib'n Tucker fashion show and dance—Gym.

Saturday, April 20

Phi Lambda Chi Spring Formal—Palace hotel.

Sunday, April 21

Alpha Omega Initiations ceremonies.

## ALPHA OMEGA TAKE PLEDGES

Formal and mock initiation ceremonies of the Alpha Omega, service sorority, will be held Sunday, April 21. At an unknown location, pledges Pat Lundberg, Rita de Andreis, and Carleen Miller will go through an initiation ceremony in the morning dressed in comical clothes. In charge of this initiation are members Violet Nicoloff, Dorothy Foppiano, Barbara Maghetti and Gerry Polite.

The formal initiation dinner will be held at the Empire hotel Sunday night at 7:30. President Betty Pierce will conduct the ceremonies.

## Bin Convalescing In Hospital

Gina Bin, San Francisco State student, who was snowbound at McCloud last Christmas, has been confined to the Children's Hospital for the past six weeks and will be detained there for another five months, it was learned today.

She was in a street car accident last month near Fillmore and Jackson streets. As the result of the accident she dislocated her hip and is forced now to remain in bed encased in a plaster cast.

Students are welcome to call on her at the hospital.

AMERICA'S BUSIEST

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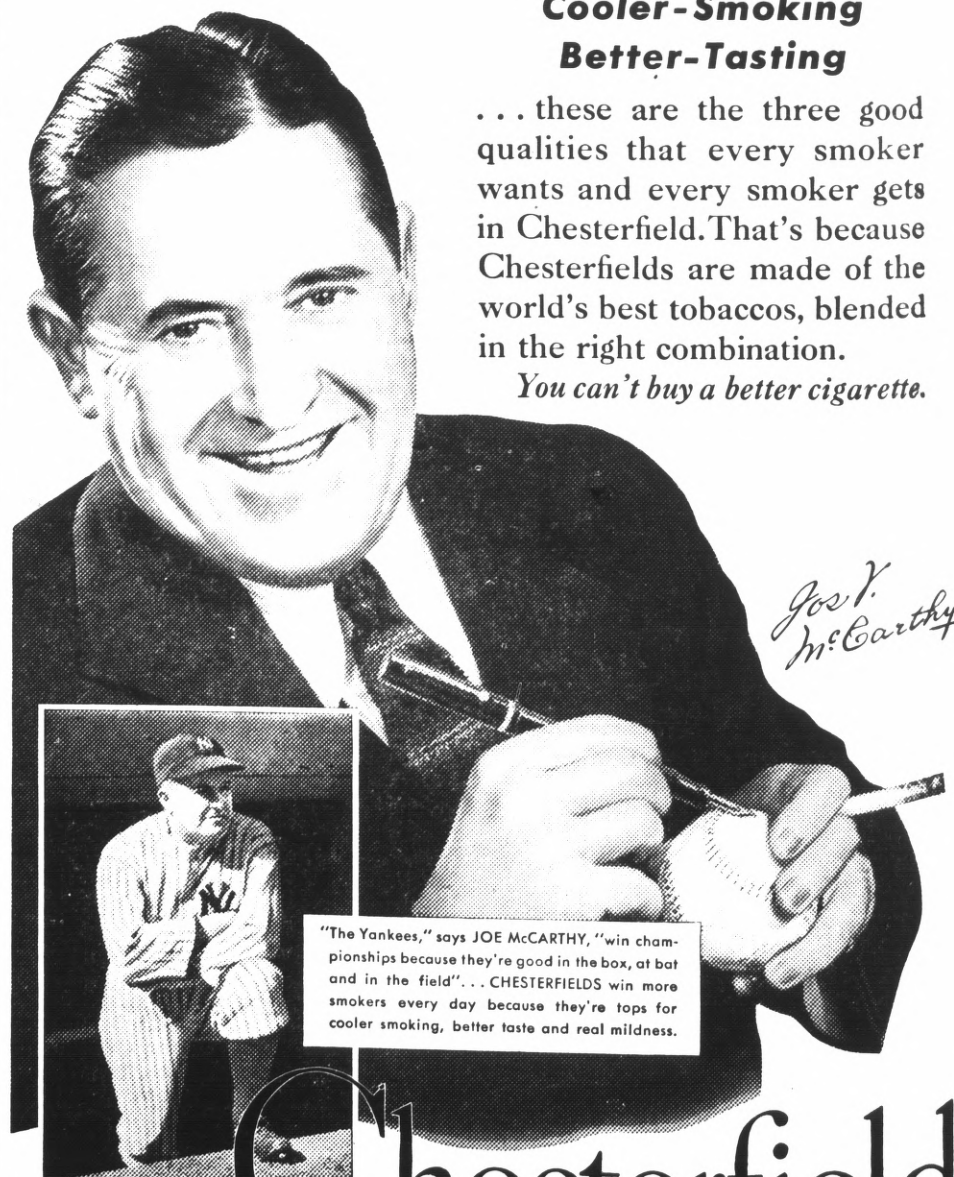


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